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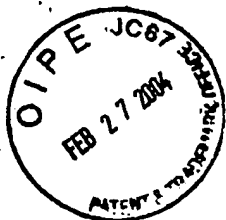
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In re: the application of

SKF USA Inc.

Serial No. : 10/692,337

Filed: October 23, 2003

Title: SEAL REFORMING METHOD &
APPARATUS

REQUEST FOR REFUND

To: The Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington DC 20231

On October 23, 2003 we filed the above identified patent application with our check in the amount of \$892.00. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is attached hereto and was allocated as follows:

Filing fee	\$750.00
Extra Claim	18.00
Extra Independent Claim	84.00
Assignment Fee	40.00
TOTAL	\$892.00

In reviewing our Filing Receipt (copy enclosed), we noted that it listed an incorrect filing fee of \$874.00, \$18.00 less than was actually submitted. We paid the correct fee of \$892.00 and a copy of the front and back of our check is enclosed. That correct payment should be duly noted on our filing receipt and a corrected official Filing Receipt is respectfully requested.

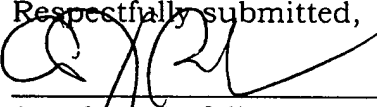
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Furthermore, on January 29, 2004, our Deposit Account No. 22-0259 was charged \$86.00 under code #1201 for an independent claim in excess of 3.

A copy of the printout of that charge is also enclosed. However, as noted above, this fee was included in our original check of \$892. Therefore, this deposit account charge is incorrect. Please post a credit of \$86.00 to our Deposit Account No. 22-0259 to remedy this matter.

Dated: 2/24/03

Respectfully submitted,


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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the foregoing Request for Refund was mailed first class, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to:

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this day, February 24, 2004.

